Eastern Region Trauma Advisory COMMITTEE MINUTES

December 13th, 2012 hosted by St. Vincent Healthcare

Facilities PRESENT:

Billings Clinic Big Timber

Bozeman Deaconess

Ekalaka Glasgow Harlowton Hardin Helena Lewistown Livingston Poplar Red Lodge Scobey

St. Vincent Healthcare

Washakie

TOPIC DISCUSSION

CALL TO ORDER ERTAC chair Dr. Billy Oley calls meeting to order at 1405

REVIEW OF MINUTES

June minutes approved.

Minutes will continue to be sent to ERTAC facilities via

ANY ACTION / FOLLOW-UP

email.

CASE PRESENTATIONS **Case #1:** Brad VonBergen RN, trauma coordinator from Billings Clinic. Case concepts: rural EMS management of scene, ATV related head injury, and airway. Patient outcome including traumatic cardiopulmonary arrest,

Case #2: Randi Koehn RN, trauma coordinator from St. Vincent Healthcare. Case concepts: recognition of shock, documentation, pneumothorax management, ED stabilization prior to CT transport, massive transfusion, and administration of Tranexamic Acid.

Case#3: Sam Miller RN, trauma coordinator from Bozeman Deaconess. Case concepts: propane explosion scene management, flight and ED management of burn patient, Parkland Formula review, and transfer to SLC.

GENERAL MEETING

1. SubCommittee Reports:

 Treasurer – Brad VonBergen RN. Currently have \$9,000 available for trauma education; individual scholarships and funding for trauma education / conferences such as TNCC and TEAM. Education – Elaine Schuchard RN. Geriatric trauma course continues to progress with Contact Brad for more information byonbergen@billingsclinic.org or at (406)435-1581.

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anticipated completion date in January 2013. TNCC for 2013 in Montana to be posted online.

2. Injury Prevention:

- MVC Prevention
- Fall Prevention Havre April 22-23; Glendive May 21-22
- SBIRT
- **Policy Updates**

3. State Report:

- 41 designated MT facilities; 32 CAH, 8 non-CAH, 1 clinic.
- Rural flex grant funds for surgeon trauma site reviews, partial cost of PMS. Submission for next grant to include surgeon site review support and DI coding courses.
- ATLS 9th edition is out.
- February 6th trauma coordinator system web-ex.
- Web based collector continued work with DI product design. Expected implementation May / June 2013.
- Plan ahead for state trauma conference September 12-13, 2013, Great Falls at Best Western Inn. September 11-12, 2014, Missoula at Hilton Garden Inn.

4. EMS Trauma System Update:

- HPP training dates on EMSTS website.
- ABLS expected in 2013 with 6 courses offered; 2 in each region.
- PHTLS & PEPP courses
- EMS data collection continues

ADJOURNMENT

General meeting was adjourned at 1600.

THE NEXT ERTAC MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 7, 2013 hosted by ST. VINCENT HEALTHCARE AT THE MANFIELD CENTER.